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In re Patent Application of:
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For: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A
CATALYST FOR GAS-PHASE OXIDATIONS
BY THE COATING OF SUPPORT
MATERIALS IN A FLUID BED APPARATUS

Examiner: B. S. Saha

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2009, and in consideration of the enclosed Request for Continued Examination and Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.